

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

(Large Entity)

Docket No.

49584 (70904)

In Re Application Of:
MIZUTANI, et al.Serial No.
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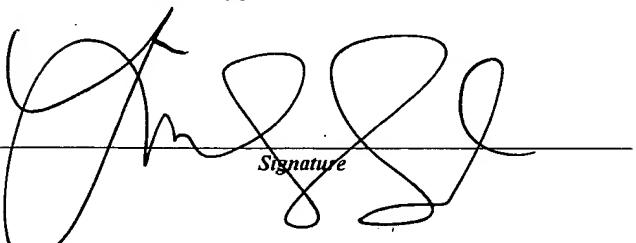
Invention:

**PERFORATED TRAY WITHOUT DOWNCOMER, PERFORATED TRAY TOWER WITHOUT DOWNCOMER
AND METHODS OF DISTILLATION**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 01.21.03 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

 One month Two months Three months Four months Five monthsfrom: 04.21.03 until: 05.21.03
*Date*The fee for the extension of time is \$110 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 04-1105
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 04-1105
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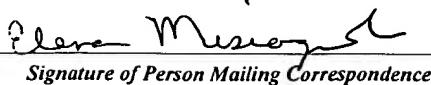
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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on 5/20/03 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.



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